IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: ART UNIT:

Enrico Gerardus Albertus Linders 1638

APPLICATION NO: CONFIRMATION NO:

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FOR: CLUBROOT RESISTANT BRASSICA OLERACEA PLANTS

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND RCE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 30, 2009, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following remarks and arguments into the record for the above-referenced application.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks and arguments.

Applicants submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal.

Applicants also submit herewith a Petition for Extension of Time. Please charge the fees for the RCE and one month extension of time to Applicants' credit card.

Applicants believe there are no additional fees due with this response. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees deemed necessary, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1744 in the name of Syngenta Biotechnology, Inc.